

Streamline administrator duties and gain more security and analytics features with management tools from Dell

We compared capabilities of management portfolios from Dell and a key competitor we call Vendor K. The Dell management portfolio offered more features that simplify management, more security features, increased scalability, and easier firmware updates.

Dell offers additional features to improve security

Integrated Dell Remote Access Controller 9 (iDRAC9) offers system lockdown and multi-factor authentication features to thwart bad actors and help keep data safe. Vendor K BMC has no equivalent features.



More security features

Initiate system **lockdown** remotely in just **18 seconds** with iDRAC9

vs. no system lockdown via Vendor K BMC

Dell offers increased scalability

One instance of OpenManage Enterprise supports up to 8,000 devices, while Vendor K's enterprise management console can manage only 1,000.



Manage 8x

the number of devices with Dell OME

vs. Vendor K's enterprise management console

Dell automates firmware updates

iDRAC9 provides automated online updates with scheduling options to reduce administrator hassle. Vendor K requires admins to update manually.



Easier firmware updates

via automation and scheduling with iDRAC9

vs. Vendor K BMC

The tools we tested:

	Dell solution	Vendor K solution
Embedded/remote server management	iDRAC9 (Integrated Dell Remote Access Controller)	Vendor K BMC
One-to-many device management from a console	OpenManage Enterprise (OME)	Vendor K's enterprise management console

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